



March 18, 2020

**VIA IBFS**

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch  
Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12th Street, S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re:   *Notice of Ex Parte Presentation*  
      **IBFS File No. SAT-LOA-20190704-00057; Call Sign S3051****

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On March 16, 2020, Julie Zoller, Kalpak Gude, and Mariah Dodson Shuman of Amazon spoke by telephone with Aaron Goldberger of the Office of Federal Communications Commission Chairman Ajit Pai and Troy Tanner of the Commission's International Bureau.

During the call, we urged expeditious grant of Amazon's application to launch and operate a constellation of 3,236 low-earth orbit satellites, which will expand access to competitive high-capacity, low-latency broadband.

We said that all interested parties should have a fair and equitable opportunity to compete on the merits and encouraged the Commission to reject efforts by existing satellite licensees to saddle new entrants, such as Amazon, with heavy-handed regulations.

A reasonable regulatory framework, we said, plays a critical role in allowing innovative companies to provide outstanding service to their customers and to invest in costly, long-term projects, such as the proposed Kuiper System.

Respectfully submitted,

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